TRANSCRIPT PREPARED BY THE CLERK OF THE LEGISLATURE Transcriber's Office

March 6, 1998 LB 611

known.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Um-hum. That would not...so it would not necessarily have to be inside the city limits, only within that area outside that you have jurisdiction over, right?

SENATOR HARTNETT: Yeah, that's correct.

SENATOR JANSSEN: Okay. Thank you, Senator Hartnett.

SPEAKER KRISTENSEN: Senator Chambers.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Mr. Speaker and members of the Legislature, I'd like to ask Senator Dwite Pedersen a question, if he's nearby. Senator Dwite Pedersen, as you go to your desk, who drafted the original language of LB 611, if you know?

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: Bill Drafters Office.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: No, I meant who...who...who proposed that idea that is in 611? (Laughter)

SENATOR Dw. PEDERSEN: Oh, the...(laughter) sorry about that. I don't have any bill drafters in my office, we use the Bill Drafting Office. The idea came from the city of Elkhorn.

SENATOR CHAMBERS: Thank you. Now I have to ask Senator Hartnett a question. Senator Hartnett, I offered an amendment that I think was imminently wise, but I'm going to ask you, because you've had a chance to listen to all the discussions of this bill. How in the world can you agree or propose that we offer such an imminently sensible amendment, as the kind you're sensible amendment like this? In other words, what's a sensible amendment like that doing on a bill like this? That's my question.

SENATOR HARTNETT: (Laugh)

SENATOR CHAMBERS: You're willing to try to clean up the bill a little bit more?

SENATOR HARTNETT: It was a request that came to me.